

# The Inaugural 2022 HepBcommunity.org Research Showcase Win \$100 USD by learning more about Hepatitis B research

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HepBcommunity.org is a global, peer-led, volunteer-driven online forum to support those affected by hepatitis B. We aim to facilitate peer networking and to link the affected community to trustworthy scientific and medical expertise.

# **Description of the showcase**

At HepBCommunity.org, we want to encourage more conversations between the scientific and affected communities so that we can all learn from each other.

To do this, we are inviting hepatitis B researchers around the world to showcase their research. They will describe why is their research is important, how they do it, and what's exciting about it in a thread on HepBcommunity.org.

You will have the opportunity to ask researchers questions about their research. The best questions will be in the running to win a \$100 USD gift card.

Forum members will also be able to cast votes to decide on the most engaging researchers, who will have the chance at winning a \$250 USD gift card.

## How to enter

#### It's free to enter!

Just register on HepBcommunity.org and ask questions in the research threads. Don't forget to cast a "like" for the researchers you enjoy the most!

# **Prizes**

Authors of the top 4 threads will be awarded \$250 USD gift card

Authors of the top 4 questions in the discussions will be awarded \$100 USD gift card

## **Judging criteria**

A shortlist of top 10 threads and top 10 questions will be based on the number of likes. Forum users will then vote for the top 4 of each shortlist through an online poll.

## **Important dates**

Cut-off for new threads describing research: June 20th, 2022

Shortlists announced: July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Voting closes for shortlists: July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Awards ceremony: July 28th, 2022

## **Conditions of entry**

- HepBCommunity.org reserves the right not to grant all or any awards.
- Decisions will be made by the leadership committee and are final. No appeals will be considered.
- Entrants agree to have their entries and usernames used in promotional materials.
- All entries are deemed public, entrants should not describe confidential research.
- Entrants will provide an accurate account of their research, without hyperbole or misleading statements.
- By entering this showcase, entrants agree to these conditions.